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Lutheran Church Notes

DAKOTA CITY-SALEM

I wonder in how many homes in the territory tributary to our churches gave any time this last week to the reading of the Bible. We are willing to read anything else, magazines, politics, science, and whatnot but for the bible, well, that is all right for old people, and the very pious, but for the rest it is not necessary. So it is thought. We have got away from the idea of bible reading in the schools, and any thing that has any flavor of religion has no place. The teachers may teach any thing else, but they must not teach christianity. So many scientific things have a really religious side, and are abettors of religious philosophies, but they are all right, and we do not care if they are taught, but not the bible.

What power have these things for the life of godliness. They do not try to deal with the power of and for righteousness and the influence of the life. What do they deal with? They deal with the faith in a propounded doctrine, not an embodiment of it. They endeavor to make a substitute for Jesus, to have a belief in something else than him. With these false religious philosophies it is not a matter of the manner of the life a man lives, it is what he believes. It is really the same old question, "What think ye of Christ. Whose son is he?" The materialists deny all faith, and they endeavor to have men hold to what they declare, trust to it, and what is that but faith pure and simple. A faith in that which does not ennoble the life and purify it, but which a man may hold to with all his might and live without regard to the moral teachings of that faith or may be it has no moral teachings, but just belief.

How different with the christian religion. James says faith without works (of righteousness) is dead. Melancthon, the great scholar of the reformation declared that faith and mortal sin cannot exist together. In other words the faith must make a righteous life. Paul says if we live by the spirit, by the spirit let us also walk. The christian religion makes for a right life all the time. If you know a professor who is not right do not blame the religion, but the man for if he is not living as he ought it is not the religion's fault, but the man's fault. The trouble is that the man does not read the bible enough. If he would do that one thing he would not live as he does, and that applies equally well to the man who is not a christian. The bible is powerful, powerful to save the soul, powerful to lead in the right life, powerful to enlighten and if you would give more time to the reading of it you would be able to live such a life as all men honor and respect, and in a surprisingly large measure be able to be an impersonation of the christian moral and divine principles.

Such is the power of the Word of God. We think it is great, and it is, to be connected with the Service company for power and light. We all know a life is greater than anything the life has. The man that builds the house is always greater than the house, then why should men be ashamed to be connected with the power of God, for he is the source of human power and light of life, the eternal. If we will give the Word of God a chance with us we will be surprised what it will do for us. If you are not averse to living a christian life, but are not doing so because you have never felt like it, just give the bible a little time every day for a couple of months and see what is wrought to this end in you. Jesus says something about people who will stop their ears so they will not hear lest they be converted. You are not like that. Try it. If you are a christian, give the Word of God some time and consideration and see if the things of the christian life are not easier for you, and if you do not enjoy the life better. Be positive and active.

Chorus work begins Friday night. Would like all to be there if possible.

The council will make a canvas of the congregation for the support of the church next Sunday p. m.

REV. C. R. LOWE.

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Local Items

Harold Gribble went to Lincoln Tuesday to re-enter the state university.

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mason Antrim of South Sioux City Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Heikes returned Monday from an over Sunday visit at the W. C. Heikes home near Obert, Nebr.

Mrs. Hilma Olson and Mrs. E. B. Fox of Benedict, Neb., began a week's visit with Rev. C. R. Lowe and family last Friday.

S. B. Short died at his home in Covington precinct Sept. 5th, of cancer, age 54 years. He had been a resident of the county for many years.

Harry H. Woods of Craig, Nebr., and Clara E. Lindeman of Ireton, Iowa, were married at the M. E. parsonage last Thursday by Rev. F. J. Aucock.

John Bachert was called to Ft. Dodge, Iowa, Monday, by the serious illness of his mother. Mrs. Bachert followed Tuesday and will remain a few days.

By special arrangement we can furnish the Herald and Lincoln Daily and Sunday Journal until January 1, 1917, for \$1.25. The sooner you subscribe the more you get for your money.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church will be entertained at dinner at the home of Mrs. Wm. F. Warner today, Thursday. They will leave in autos from the W. L. Ross store at 11:30.

Web Minter arrived here Tuesday from Garrison, N. D., for a few weeks' visit with relatives and old friends. He reports a fairly good crop in North Dakota this year, but not up to the average.

Be sure and see the Maytag Washing Machine exhibit at the Interstate Fair. I still have the agency and will be glad to supply you with any of their machines.

John B. Evans.

Patrick H. O'Brien, a retired farmer, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Jenkins, at South Sioux City, on the 5th inst, of dropsy, age 75 years. He had resided in Dakota county about twenty-five years.

The school board in this district on Monday received a check for \$73.16 from the insurance company for damages to the high school building during a windstorm several weeks ago, when the chimney was blown down and the roof badly damaged.

An automobile party, composed of speakers and musicians, will leave Omaha Thursday morning of this week to make a tour of this part of the state for the Dry Amendment. Some good speakers have been secured for this tour. The party will make the towns in this county on Friday, the 15th, and will be in Emerson at 10:30, Hubbard at 11:30, Dakota City at 1:30 and Jackson at 2:30.

J. A. Hill has about completed all arrangements to construct an electric line from a point near Crystal Lake park to Jackson. The line will follow the Burlington right-of-way, and will furnish electricity to the parks on the lake, to patrons anywhere along the line, and to the town of Jackson, where a large number have already agreed to take current. He expects to have the line built yet this fall.

Tuesday, the 12th day of September, was the wedding of George Bartels, one of Salem's promising young farmers, to Miss Frieda Wendt, of Newcastle, Nebr. The ceremony was performed by Rev. L. Franke, German Lutheran pastor. Miss Mabel Bartels and Otto Wendt were the witnesses to the ceremony. The Salem young folks will take good care of this young couple when they take up their abode on the groom's farm opposite the Salem churches.

Sunday evening about 8 o'clock while Sheriff Geo. Cain was at church and Deputy John Hileman was absent from the court house, some one pried a window of the sheriff's office open and after gaining admission took the keys to the cell from a desk and liberated the prisoners, C. D. Martin and Otto Rupp. The latter, however, refused to leave, and as soon as Martin and his accomplice left gave the alarm. Martin was wanted in Sioux City for the theft of some bicycles, and was to be taken there Monday to stand trial. No trace has been found of him so far.

The Herald—1 year, \$1.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Sierk Wednesday.

Paul Mason and Graham Warner have entered the state university at Lincoln.

Preserve and beautify your home with Almond City Paint and Varnish. For sale at Dakota City Pharmacy.

John B. Evans purchased a bunch of 1700 sheep the past week, to pick up the rough feed on his place north of town.

Mr. Gregg, a printer from Crofton, Neb., was here Tuesday enroute to Homer, where he will work in the Star office.

William Schriever departed Monday for Iowa City, Iowa, where he will enter the state university. He will specialize in physics.

Doc McKernan spent a few days last week in Lincoln with friends. Earl Frederick carried the mail on route 2 during his absence.

W. E. Morrison has rented the Mrs. Fueston house and moved there Saturday from the Evans property northwest of the Omaha depot.

Lawrence Armour, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Armour, went to Wayne Monday where he entered the state normal and will take a business course.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Mason and son Paul visited the Nebraska state fair at Lincoln last Wednesday and Thursday, and report a first-class exhibition.

G. F. Broyhill's new store building is rapidly nearing completion. The cement work is about finished, and the inside plastering is now being put on. It is going to make a very neat store room.

Rev. F. J. Aucock left Tuesday for Hastings, Neb., to attend the session of M. E. conference held there this week. It will be a pleasure to the people of Dakota City to see Rev. Aucock returned to this charge.

County Superintendent W. E. Voss was at Emerson last Thursday, where the county superintendents of the six northeast Nebraska counties, Cedar, Dixon, Dakota, Thurston, Curt and Wayne, went to arrange a time and place for their annual meeting and plan the program to be given.

Four couples patronized Judge McKinley's marriage mart during the past week. They were: James S. Dermitt and Rosetta Farnham, both of Sioux City, and Chris Jensen of Ida Grove, Iowa, and Hattie Coleman of Sioux City, all on the 6th; James Tennant and Sylvia Williams, both of Sioux City, on the 9th; Hanson Cash and Dora Pepps, both of Sioux City, on the 12th.

A committee of friends of Judge Samuel H. Sedgwick, of York, candidate for re-election to the supreme court, has assumed charge of his publicity and have placed an advertisement in this paper. The judge does not lack for loyal supporters, for his thirteen years of splendid service as judge of the supreme court has established him in the esteem and favor of all who are familiar with the work of the courts. No member of that high tribunal ever made a better record for faithful, fair and a high order of public service.

The Dakota City Bears won an interesting game from the Walthill Indians Sunday, by a score of 3 to 1. The Indians scored their run in the 5th on a base on balls, a steal and a hit. The Bears garnered their runs in the 7th on two hits, a base on balls and some wild fielding. Batteries: Dakota City, Sides and Lahrs; Indians, Whitewater and Bigfire. Hits: Dakota City 8; Indians 6. Arrangements have been made for a game between the same teams here next Sunday, as the rain and bad roads kept many away who wanted to see the Indians and Bears battle.

SCHOOL NOTES.

By Clarence Linton.

The total enrollment is 139, distributed through the grades as follows: First and beginners, 23; second, 17; third, 11; fourth, 10; fifth, 7; sixth, 14; seventh, 15; eighth, 7; ninth, 12; tenth, 12; eleventh, 6; twelfth, 5. The high school has its share of the total, numbering 35, leaving 104 in the elementary school.

School is busily engaged upon the year's work. Everything was well planned and work began immediately after the call of school last Monday morning.

Most of the new books and supplies for the year have been received.

There have been several absentees from school these first few days. Dewey Heikes, Gerald Hall and Charles Schmidt were absent from the high school Monday.

Football practice is in full progress. We plan to schedule several games during the season, the first possibly on September 22. The regular practice work is done from 3:30 to 4:30 each afternoon.

The high school and teachers of the school were royally entertained at the home of Ralph Graham Friday evening. The evening was ideal and all report a very pleasant time.

Mr. and Mrs. Linton entertained the high school at an informal reception in the high school rooms Tuesday evening.

LET US PRINT IT FOR YOU

Married

At St. Patrick's church, in this city, Tuesday morning, September 5, 1916, by Rt. Rev. Fr. Cassidy, Mr. James P. Heeney, of Hubbard, Neb., and Miss Mary G. Timlin of this city. John Heeney, of Hubbard, brother of the groom, was best man and Miss Delia Timlin was bridesmaid. Little Miss Mildred Timlin acted as ring bearer.

The bride was attired in a brown going away gown with hat to match. Immediately after the ceremony the guests were driven to the Golden hotel where a splendid four-course wedding breakfast was served. The bride did the honors in cutting the cakes and looking after the comfort of the guests. Beautiful little boxes, tied with yellow and white ribbon and containing pieces of the groom's cake, were given as tokens.

Those seated at the table were: Rev. Fr. Cassidy, the bride and groom, and Mrs. Margaret Heeney, Mrs. John Hart, Mrs. Lee C. Kearney, Mrs. Ella Heeney, Charles Heeney and Ray Heeney, of Hubbard, Neb.; Will Heeney of Nacora, Neb., and Mr. and Mrs. James Timlin, Mildred Timlin, M. J. Timlin, Miss Mamie Cullen, Miss Delia Timlin, of O'Neill, and John Heeney of Hubbard and Miss Elizabeth Gribble of Chambers.

The dining room was decorated in yellow and white and gave a very pleasing appearance.

The groom is a young business man of Hubbard, while the bride is one of our best known and beloved O'Neill girls, having taught several successful terms of school in our city schools and dearly beloved by all her pupils.

The happy couple left on the 10 o'clock passenger for a trip to Kansas City, after which they will go to Hubbard, their future home, where they will be followed by the best wishes of the people of this city. O'Neill, Neb., Independent.

GERMAN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH AT SALEM

REV. LUDWIG FRANK, Pastor.

The next service will be the 24th of September. The minister goes to Hastings, Neb., to attend the German Lutheran Nebraska Synod. All personal cases will be attended to by Rev. P. Machetzki, in Ponca, during that time.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Rock Mace and husband to E. C. Wilbur, lot 13, block 92, Covington Annex to South Sioux City, wd. \$1
H. L. Keverist and wife to C. D. Stanley, lots 10, 11, 12, blk. 37, Joy Place addition to South Sioux City, wd. 3000
John H. Young and wife to F. L. Eaton, lot 3, blk. 163, Covington Annex to South Sioux City, wd. 200
J. S. Bacon, Co. Treas., to Alfred Piley, lot 15, blk. 26, Joy Place addition to South Sioux City, tax deed.

MATRIMONIAL VENTURES

The following marriage licenses were issued by County Judge S. W. McKinley during the past week:

Name and Address	Age
John Flannery, Jackson, Nebr.	20
Laura M. Jones, Willis, Nebr.	Legal
James S. Dermitt, Sioux City	42
Rosetta Farnham	26
Chris Jensen, Ida Grove, Iowa	20
Hattie Coleman, Sioux City	39
Harry H. Woods, Craig, Nebr.	38
Clara E. Lindeman, Ireton, Iowa	18
Preston Stephenson, Sioux City	24
Frene May Greenfield, Castalia, Iowa	21
James Tennant, Sioux City	31
Sylvia Williams	31
Hanson Cash, Sioux City	29
Dora Pepps	24

M. E. Church Notes.

There will be no preaching service on Sunday owing to the meeting of the conference at Hastings. Sunday school will meet at 10 a. m. and Epworth League at 7 p. m.

This week ends our church year. Let us all get ready for a good start on Sunday, September 24th. The arrangements for next year depends upon the action of the conference. Due notice of this will be found in the next issue of this paper.

F. J. AUCOCK, Pastor.

For Sale

My driving horse, harness and buggy. Horse: 6 years old this summer, 16 hands high, weighs 1150, rangy, a good traveler, gentle, a good family horse. Buggy: West Rock Island, steel body, in fine condition.

C. R. Lowe.

HORRIBLE ALCOHOLIC DEATH

A barkeeper from the town of Farwell, in Howard county, drank himself into the tremens, and was sent down to the Lincoln asylum at the expense of Howard county, a short time ago. It took two men to keep him quiet on the way.

Arriving at Lincoln he was bundled into a hack and taken to the asylum. On the way over his nose bled violently all the time. At the asylum he was in convulsions, and the next day he died of acute alcoholism.

This was one of the cases which may have been described in the paragraph from the article sent to the weekly papers of Nebraska by the Haynes bureau, which reads as follows:

"I maintain that, instead of being a curse, alcohol is the handmaiden of intellectual and material progress, and that history abundantly proves it."

Here was a case where the barkeeper died from the effects of his own medicine. The taxpayers and decent people of Howard county are not likely to agree that "alcohol is the handmaiden of intellectual and material progress."

STINSON'S

Specials for Saturday, Sep. 16

For this Day Only

3 cans tomatoes, peas or kraut.....	25c
1 can Stinson's Pride Baking Powder.....	20c
2 15c cans pink salmon.....	25c
3 bars toilet soap.....	25c
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3 packages elbo macaroni.....	25c
2 cans harvester brand peaches.....	25c
3 packages Egg-O-See.....	25c

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Summer Excursion Fares Through September

You can get the benefit of the low, Summer vacation fares until September 30th for Eastern tours, for Scenic Colorado and Estes Park, the beautiful Black Hills, the Pacific Coast, or Mountain tours. September is an ideal pleasure-travel month, with resort regions less crowded. If there is yet a chance for you to get away, let me show you what a splendid tour you can take via Burlington through-service routes.



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